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To the PSC:

In 2018, we purchased additional solar panels to add to our 2 kw system making it a 6 kw system. My husband lost his job at this time and I took on the payments, working extra hard to pay off this system so as to not accrue more interest. I single handedly paid them off in mid 2020.

We made the decision to add to our solar panels because SC had changed to net metering, the monthly fee for solar from SCE&G was reasonable, and tax incentives were still in place. Even then, we knew it would still be expensive but given the incentives we made this decision in good faith that eventually we would at least break even while supporting the effort to make our planet inhabitable for generations to come.

To hear that Dominion Energy is considering raising the rates for solar owners is disheartening beyond words, especially when I think about the amount of the increase they are proposing. When I drive around my neighborhood and greater community, I see houses at all sociodemographic levels with solar panels. So, I know I'm not alone in feeling the financial pain when imagining the effects of this proposal and feel for my fellow citizens who, like me, were only trying to do what is right economically and environmentally.

For these reasons and more, I 100% oppose Dominion's proposal to make any changes to the current fees for residential solar customers and thereby do not approve of Docket #2020-299-E [2]

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